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Re: **Application No.:** 09/193,646
Confirmation No.: 2283
Applicants: Jay Paul Drummond, et al.
Filed: November 17, 1998
Title: Automated Banking Machine
Apparatus and System
Art Unit: 3621
Notice of Allowance Date: May 9, 2005
Docket No.: D-1077+8

Sir:

Please find enclosed the Issue Fee Transmittal form for filing in the above-referenced Application. Also enclosed are Comments on the Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

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In response to the Notice of Allowability dated May 9, 2005 kindly enter Applicants' comments as follows:

Comments on the Statement of Reasons for Allowance

Applicants acknowledge the Office's admission that the pending claims are patentable over the references of record. Applicants respectfully submit that while the specific features and relationships mentioned in the statement are not disclosed or suggested in the prior art, these are not the only recited features and relationships which are not found in the prior art. Also, it should be understood that the allowed subject matter is to only be limited by that subject matter which is specifically recited. The statement refers to subject matter (or language) which is not recited in all of the claims. For example, the claims do not recite the "internet" or "an automated transaction machine that is connected to the internet".

For further example, but not necessarily all-inclusive, not all claims 1-17 and 23-29 specifically require that a "computer accesses instructions at an HTTP address". Nor do all claims 1-17 and 23-29 specifically require a dispenser that "operates in response to instructions obtained at the HTTP address".

Likewise, but not necessarily all-inclusive, not all claims 18-22 specifically require "an automated banking machine comprising a . . . computer". Nor do all claims 18-22 specifically require that "the computer accesses instruction at an HTTP address".

Likewise, but not necessarily all-inclusive, not all claims 30-33 specifically require a computer that "is responsive to HTML documents for controlling said currency dispenser".

Thus, any remarks in the statement of reasons for allowance which narrow the recited subject matter should be disregarded.

Comments on the Substance of the Interviews were previously filed November 16, 2004.

Applicants continue to respectfully submit that except for the recitation of a currency dispenser, the scope of the claims remains unchanged. Again, the added HTML document language is to maintain the broadest interpretation permitted by the specification. Applicants continue to deny that this language limits the claims.

Respectfully submitted,



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